

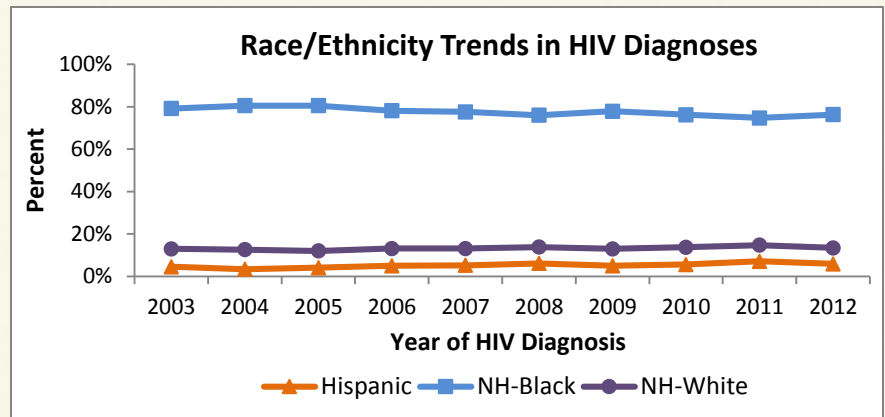


# HIV AMONG HISPANICS IN MARYLAND, 2012

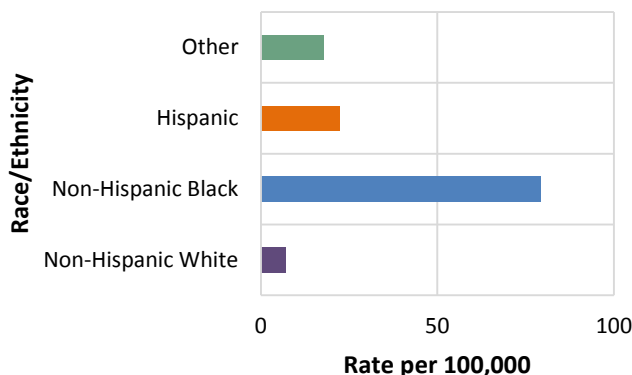
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## New HIV Diagnoses

- Hispanics accounted for **5.9% (87)** of the **1,466** reported adult/adolescent HIV diagnoses (age 13+) in Maryland in **2012**.
- Case rates among newly reported diagnoses in 2012 remain highest among NH blacks (**79.3 per 100,000**) followed by Hispanics (**22.4**).



## 2012 HIV Case Rates by Race/Ethnicity



## Characteristics of Hispanics Living with HIV

### Age Categories

- 32.4% 40's**
- 28.7% 30's
- 20.0% 50's
- 11.4% 20's
- 6.7% 60+
- 0.6% Teens



### Exposure Category

- 40.7% MSM**
- 43.9% HET
- 12.2% IDU
- 2.9% MSM/IDU

- Of the **29,553** total living HIV cases (with or without AIDS) on 12/31/2012 in Maryland, **4.7% (1,398)** of those were among Hispanics. In other words, **1 in 277** Hispanics were reported to be living with HIV in Maryland.

- Total living HIV case rates in Maryland were more than two times as high among Hispanic males (**392.9 cases per 100,000** on 12/31/2012, all ages) as compared to Hispanic females (**145.6**). In other words, **1 in 254** Hispanic males and **1 in 686** Hispanic females in Maryland were reported to be living with HIV in Maryland.
- Total living HIV case rates among Hispanics in Maryland were highest among Hispanic males in their 50's (**1,035.7 cases per 100,000** on 12/31/2012, all ages) followed by Hispanic men in their 40's (**925.3**).
- More than half (**53.1%**) of the Hispanic men diagnosed to be living with HIV in Maryland were among **Men who have Sex with Men (MSM)**. Among Hispanic women reported to be living with HIV in Maryland, **86.1%** were attributed to **Heterosexual Exposure (HET)**.

MSM: Men who have Sex with Men, HET: Heterosexual Exposure; IDU: Injection Drug User